



The following constitutes the order of the court.
Signed May 8, 2013

William J. Lafferty, III
William J. Lafferty, III
U.S. Bankruptcy Judge

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
OAKLAND DIVISION

In re) Case No. 09-71053
Lance E. Hart,) Adv. No. 12-4058; 11-4175
Debtor.) Chapter 7

Beverly Karaeff,)
Plaintiff.)
v.)
Lance E. Hart,)
Defendant.)

Gary and Janette Drew,)
Plaintiffs.)
v.)
Lance E. Hart,)
Defendant.)

In re) Case No. 12-42424
Debra A. Hart,) Adv. No. 11-4175; 11-4177
Debtor.) Chapter 7

Gary and Janette Drew,)
Plaintiffs.)
v.)
Debra A. Hart,)

1 Defendant.)
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3 Beverly Karaeff,)
4 v. Plaintiff.)
5 Debra A. Hart,)
6 Defendant.)

7 **MEMORANDUM REGARDING CONDUCT BY NON-PARTY INDIVIDUAL OBSERVING**
8 **CONSOLIDATED TRIAL IN ADVERSARY PROCEEDINGS**

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10 It has come to the Court's attention that a breach in
11 decorum occurred following the hearing held May 7, 2013 through
12 the actions of a non-party individual who had been observing the
13 trial in the above-captioned adversary proceedings.

14 After the conclusion of the day's testimony, the Court
15 adjourned and the Courtroom Deputy remained in the courtroom
16 while parties prepared to exit. One individual, who is not a
17 party in any of the above-captioned adversary proceedings,
18 approached the area in front of the bench where the Courtroom
19 Deputy conducts her duties. The individual looked around the
20 Deputy's workstation, saw her computer screens, and made an
21 inappropriate jocular comment about the performance of her
22 duties. The Court is troubled by this behavior, which
23 demonstrates a lack of due respect for the Court's staff.

24 The foregoing event will be discussed at the telephonic
25 status conference on May 10, 2013 at 11:30AM. Counsel will be
26 prepared to discuss their understanding of appropriate decorum.

27 ****END OF MEMORANDUM****
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